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## ATHENS, 1st OLYMPIC GAMES, 1896

49. Gold Participation Medal. Goldplated bronze, 50 mm , by N. Lytras. Seated Nike holding laurel wreath over phoenix emerging from flames, Acropolis in background. Rev. 5-line Greek legend. "International Olympic Games in Athens, 1896". Presented to high dignitaries. Choice EF. $(\mathbf{\$ 1 , 2 0 0 )}$
50. Participation Medal. Bronze, 50 mm , by N. Lytras. Seated Nike holding laurel wreath, phoenix rising out of flames, Acropolis in background. Rev. 5-line Greek legend "International Olympic Games in Athens, 1896". Toned EF. (\$700)
51. Official Program of the Olympic Games, Athens, Duration 5th to 15th April 1896. And History of the Ancient Games at Olympia. 18 p., $14 \times 20.5 \mathrm{~cm}(5.5 " \times 8.1 ")$, in English. Detailed program of Athletic and Gymnastic Sports, General Regulations, plus the Ancient Games at Olympia. Browning, vertical crease, o.w. EF. (\$900)
52. (Brochure) Athens 1896. Premiers Jeux Olympiques Internationaux. First Olympic International Games, translated from French. Athletic Sports, Wednesday, April 10, at 2h (14h). 8 pages, $17 \times 23 \mathrm{~cm}$ ( 6.7 " $\times 9.1$ "), in Greek and French. 100 m finals, high jump, 110 m hurdles finals, pole vault, wrestling, 100 m finals won by Thomas Burke, USA; high jump won by Ellery Clark, USA; 110 m hurdles won by Thomas Curtis, USA; pole vault won by William Welles Hoyt, USA; wrestling; and marathon won by Spiridon Louis of Greece. Center crease, light browning, a few marginal tears not affecting text. VF. (\$900)

53. (Brochure) Sports Nautiques - Nautical Sports. Regulations of the Regattas. Athens 1896. 16 pages, $15.2 \times 22 \mathrm{~cm}$ ( 6 " $\times 8.7$ "), in French. Definition of an Amateur, Program of the Regattas, Regulations, Start of a race, Proclamation of Winners. Uncut pages. Trace of writing on cover. EF. (\$900)
54. (Brochure) Georgiades, Demetrius. Les Jeux Olympiques Athènes. The Olympic Games in Athens, translated from French. Extract from "Economic World", Paris, May 9 and 16, 1896. 16 pages, $14.2 \times 22.8 \mathrm{~cm}\left(5.6^{\prime \prime} \times 9\right.$ "). The author writes about the success of the 1896 Athens Olympic Games, and that they should be always held in Athens. Cover browned, contents EF. (\$200)
55. Official Report. Complete Report in 2 Parts, in German and English. $26.5 \times 33.5 \mathrm{~cm}(10.4$ " x 13.2 "), Part I. The Olympic Games B.C. 776 - A.D. 1896. 107pp. illus. And Part II, The Olympic Games in 1896. 119pp. illus. Athen-Leipzig and Athens-London, 1897. First part relays story of ancient Olympic Games, illustrations of sports, buildings, sculptures and vases. Part II Report on the first modern Olympic Games showing winners and participation medals, stamps, postcards, events, dignitaries. Original pictorial covers which are used as the official poster design. Half linen and pictorial boards, partially gilt, browning and scuffing, front hinge loose, contents 1 t. browning, VF+. Rare report of the first modern Olympic Games. $\mathbf{( \$ 3 , 5 0 0 )}$

## PARIS, 2nd OLYMPIC GAMES, 1900

56. Gold Jury Badge. Goldplated silver, $23 \times 41 \mathrm{~mm}$, made by famous jeweler Christofle, Paris. Seated Fame between "1900" and "Jury". Elbel S-1. Toned EF. (\$500)



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62. Stunning Poster of a Fencer Announcing the Paris 1900 Olympic Games. 108x154cm (42.5"x60.6"), designed by Jean de Paléologue, printed by Chardin, 17 Passage Daudin, Paris. Female in black fencing attire holding face guard in the right hand, and 3 traditional weapons in the left: Foil, Epée and Sabre. At the poster top is information about the World Exposition 1900 and the Olympic Games, on the left side, besides the fencer, the complete Olympic fencing program for the event. The poster may be the largest Olympic poster ever. Mounted in wooden frame, glazed. EF. $\mathbf{( \$ 2 , 0 0 0 )}$

## ST. LOUIS, 3rd OLYMPIC GAMES, 1904

The 1904 Olympic Games in St. Louis were also held in conjunction with a World's Fair. This, again, detracted a lot from the importance of the Games. Few items are available that relate directly to the Olympiad, and they usually command very high prices. For this reason, we are also offering some memorabilia from the World's Fair which celebrated the Centennial of the Louisiana Purchase from Napoleon in 1803.
63. Participation Medal. Bronze, $40 x 40 \mathrm{~mm}$, made by Dieges \& Clust, New York. Nude athlete striding right, laurel branch in hand. Rev. Legend in eleven lines, shields of St. Louis, France and U.S.A. between ivy leaves. Rare. Toned EF. (\$12,000)

64. Silver Second Place Winner's Medal Awarded to Meyer Prinstein for Running Broad Jump at the Olympic Amateur Athletic Union Championship on June 4, 1904. Silver, 45 mm . Female on wheel extending winner's wreath. Rev. "Running Broad Jump" engraved in center surrounded by "Championship" at top and sports equipment. Suspended from silver bar inscribed" 1904/ Universal Exposition/Olympic Games/St. Louis", and double ribbon in red-white-blue. Meyer Prinstein won gold in Broad Jump (now Long Jump) in the Olympic Athletic Week on September 1, 1904. Ribbon VF. Toned EF. $\mathbf{( \$ 2 , 6 0 0 )}$
65. Bronze Winner's Medal Won by H. Monroe for One Mile. Bronze, 34 mm . YMCA logo over laurel and oak branches. Rev. "One Mile / H. Monroe / 1904". Suspended from Olympic 1904 bar at top inscribed "1904/Universal Championship", and red-white ribbon. Medal VF, toned. $\mathbf{( \$ 1 , 2 0 0 )}$
66. Universal Congress of Lawyers and Jurists Commemorating the Louisiana Purchase. Silvered, $39 \times 39 \mathrm{~mm}$, by Whitehead and Hoag, New York. Peace encircled by legend and scrolls. With inscribed bar and dark red ribbon. Abt. EF. (\$400)
67. Grand Prize Medal of the St. Louis Universal Exposition, 1904. Bronze, $65 \times 73 \mathrm{~mm}$, by Weinmann. Louisiana cloaking Indian maiden. Rev. Eagle with outspread wings on panel with award legend. Toned EF. (\$180)

68. Commemorative Medal of the St. Louis Universal Exposition, 1904. Bronze, 70x70mm, by Weinmann. Louisiana cloaking Indian maiden. Rev. Eagle with outspread wings on panel with award legend. Toned EF. (\$180)
69. Bronze Award Medal of the St. Louis Universal Exposition, 1904. Bronze, 65 mm , by Weinmann. Louisiana cloaking Indian maiden. Rev. Eagle with outspread wings on panel with award legend. Housed in red award case with gold lettering on top, scuffed. Medal toned EF. (\$180)
70. Cy Young Pitches His First Perfect Baseball Game at the St. Louis Olympic Games, August 29 to September 5, 1904. Silver, 45 mm . Cy Young pitching. Rev. 12-line legend citing events in 1904. Proof, Unc. (\$50)
71. (Report) Francis, David R. The Universal Exposition of 1904. St. Louis, 1913. 690 pages, $20.1 \times 28 \mathrm{~cm}$ ( 7.9 " $\times 11$ "). Inception and Development of the St. Louis World's Fair, January 1899 - May 1901. Includes 8-page article on Olympic Games, list of Olympic lecture courses, and physical culture conventions held during the Olympic Games; program of the games and Olympic trophies donated and presented with list of names, club participants. Linen covers Fine, contents damp staining on lower margin throughout. VF+. (\$150)

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## ATHENS, INTERMEDIATE OLYMPIC GAMES, 1906

72. Gold Participation Medal. Goldplated bronze, 50 mm , by N. Lytras. Seated Nike holding laurel wreath, phoenix rising out of flames, Acropolis in background. Rev. 5-line Greek legend in laurel wreath. Housed in its round leatherette case, VF+, medal EF. $\mathbf{( \$ 1 , 2 0 0 )}$
73. Silver First Place Winner's Medal for Teams. Silver, 32 mm . Seated Victory, from ancient stater of Hilias, 430-420 BC, over panel inscribed "Olympia" in Greek, palm branch below. Rev. 6 -line Greek legend. First place winning team members received this medal, the same medal in bronze was presented to Officials. With ribbon, faded, but rarely seen. Medal lightly toned EF. $(\mathbf{\$ 1 , 5 0 0})$
74. Participant's Badge. Brass, 36mm, enamelled in blue and white colors. Elbel S-2. EF. (\$400)
75. Greek Athlete's Participation Medal. Silvered bronze, 24x27mm. Depiction of ancient Greek coin of Cos, 460 BC. Rev. 4-line Greek legend. Tarassouleas page 214. With loop, ring and partial ribbon. Medal EF. (\$300)
76. "Athen 1906" Badge Number 8. Gold and blue, 26 mm . Possibly a badge of the German team. EF. (\$600)
77. Commemorative Victory and Olympic Stadium Medal. Silver, 24 mm , by Nisiotis. Winged Nike, Goddess of Victory. Rev. View of Olympic stadium, Parthenon at left. With blue-white-blue ribbon in Greek colors, rarely seen with its ribbon, VF. Medal toned EF. (\$300)
78. Commemorative Gymnastic Pentathlon Winner's Medal for N.A. Aliprantis, Greece. Silverplated bronze, 24 mm , made by Nisiotis. Winged Nike, Goddess of Victory. Rev. Aliprantis with gymnastic equipment. With loop and ring. Toned, about EF. (\$180)
79. Commemorative Medal for N.A. Aliprantis, Greece, First Place Winner in Rope Climbing. Bronze, 24 mm , by Nisiotis, Winged Nike, Goddess of Victory. Rev. Aliprantis climbing the rope, and Greek legend. With loop and ring. Toned, abt. EF. (\$160)
80. Commemorative Medal for Nikolaos Georgantas, Greece, Second Place Winner for Freestyle Discus, and Greek Style Discus. Silverplated bronze, 24 mm , by Nisiotis. Winged Nike, Goddess of Victory. Rev. Georgantas throwing the discus, and Greek legend. VF-EF. (\$140)

81. Commemorative First Place Winner's Medal for Fernand Gonder, France, Awarded for Pole Vault. Silverplated bronze, 24 mm , by Nisiotis. Winged Nike, Goddess of Victory. Rev. Gonder pole vaulting, and legend. With loop and ring. VF-EF. (\$160)
82. Commemorative Winners Medal for Greco-Roman Wrestling: V. Weckman, Finland, Middleweight; S.M. Jensen, Denmark, Super Heavyweight and All-Around (Weckman and R. Waltz, Austria, placing 2nd and 3rd). Silvered copper, 24 mm , by Nisiotis. Winged Nike, Goddess of Victory. Rev. Two wrestlers, 3 names of winners below. With loop and ring. Small spots obverse, abt. EF. (\$200)
83. Commemorative Winner's Medal for Spear Throwing Won by Eric Lemming from Sweden on April 26. Silvered copper, 24 mm . Winged Nike, Goddess of Victory. Rev. Lemming throwing a spear. VF. (\$140)

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